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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 1774**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Jun TAKAHASHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1774

Application No.: 09/729,168

Examiner: B. Shewareged

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the July 16, 2003 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.